

WORLD OF RADIO #1100, produced October 10, 2001 by Glenn Hauser

- *Standard disclaimer
- *The eleven hundredth World of Radio, not counting extras and doubles, 2+ years since our one thousandth. Thanks to those congratulating
- *Celebrating by introducing our new website,
<http://www.worldofradio.com> or even <http://worldofradio.com>
storing our larger audio files at first, so our original
<https://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/> will continue as well
- *worldofradio.com made possible by a generous grant from Clayton Stapleton
- *Our new monthly Spanish DX report Mundo Radial starts Oct 12 on WWCR; script and audio also on our website; see
<http://www.worldofradio.com/audiomid.html>
- *No scripts for World of Radio
- *Acceding to demand, our new page on monitoring SWBC from Afghanistan and vicinity, for North American monitors updated as necessary:
<https://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/mideast.html>
- *Terrorist attacks spurring scanner and shortwave radio sales
- *VOA increased broadcasts to Afghanistan again Oct 7
- *DXLD 1-145 has schedule of VOA and R. Liberty specials to there
- *WWFV announces suspension of daylight broadcasts Oct 23 for repairs and move of some transmitters to WWCV
- *EWTN (and WEWN) survival in doubt since Catholics are not generous tithers and M. Angelica is ill
- *WWCR uninterested in webcasting, but some programs produced there may be heard via WRVU Nashville: Ken Berryhill, Keen on Jazz, at
<http://www.wrvu.org>
- *See all the recent issues of DX Listening Digest for news in depth on broadcasting aspects of the Afghanistan situation
- *Taliban's Voice of Shariah knocked off the air October 8
- *Psychological operations from US planes, ``Commando Solo``, no frequencies given, but probably on or near missing Taliban channels; with 10 kW, DXable elsewhere, so reports are wanted
- *Besides food packets, windup radios also being airdropped
- *Calls in US Congress to restart R. Free Afghanistan, despite VOA, RL
- *New unnamed exile station in the works for national reconciliation
- *R. Damascus, Syria, tends to be overlooked, but has two hour-long English broadcasts (recording; 6 seconds of dead air removed)
- *R. Tajikistan has opened website, spelt with O's:
<http://radio.tojikiston.com> in Tajik with Cyrillic alphabet
- *Quetta, Pakistan, has 5 MHz frequency
- *V. of Freedom of Jammu & Kashmir monitored including English, from Pakistani transmitter
- *Don't You Believe, All India Radio's own website, which has some wrong times in IST instead of UT for GOS in English
- *The non-commercial, non-corporate, non-government, non-communist, non-religious media magazine, World of Radio 1100; addresses:
wghauser@hotmail.com or P O Box 1684, Enid, OK 73702, USA
- *New schedule for Radio Banaadir, Somalia, until local midnight
- *Daughter of Ethiopia's new leader runs clandestine V. of Democratic

Path of Ethiopian Unity

- *V. of Nigeria external service revival plans by early next year
- *Eurosonor Radio last-minute frequency change via Bulgaria
- *B-01 frequency season starts October 28; R. Sweden to North America
- *New site for news in English, from ORT, Russian public TV;
<http://www.ortv.ru/eng>
- *Tom McNiff recommends British over American news coverage:
<http://www.itn.co.uk/index.shtml> and <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news>
- *BBC World Service asking for 3 megapounds more to cover war on terrorism
- *October, the anniversary of cancellation of Media Network; Jonathan Marks is back on air Oct 11 for special on 40th anniversary of RN's own building
- *RTBF to continue using SW from Belgium itself, but not RVi
- *Same price gets 500 kW from Merlin, 100 kW from Juelich
- *Some SW stations only work four days a week, delaying Friday news until Monday: Sweden, Belgium; so listen to Switzerland
- *France again heard well on 11 meters
- *R. Austria International to stay on the air another year despite ORF budget cuts, thanks to listener support
- *DST in Brazil starts October 14, helpful for morning DX on tropical bands, UT minus 2 until February 17
- *HCJB reducing length of programs, such as DX Partyline from 50 to 30 minutes; and no more news on weekends
- *RN Bonaire harmonic heard on 43 MHz
- *Puerto Rican arrested for spying for Cuba: affidavit of charges against her: http://www.fas.org/irp/ops/ci/Montes_092101.pdf and the numbers frequency she was monitoring from Cuba
- *Thomas Jefferson Hour station last week URL was wrong; really <http://www.whro.org/radio>
- *KPFA, Pacifica in Berkeley, may have to close in a month, since Pacifica HQ is keeping all donations for legal bills; see <http://www.savepacific.org>
- *KVMR, Nevada City, CA, broadcasting BBCWS news hourly since Sept 11
- *KKOB, Albuquerque heard on 25 MHz band; KTKA, Topeka on 26
- *The season for tracking migrating burrowing owls from Saskatchewan to Texas on 172 MHz band; DXLD 1-140, <http://www.homingin.com>
- *Nets to You at <https://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/nets2you.html>
- *XM Satellite Radio is also webcasting some programs:
<http://channels.xmradio.com> and a comparison with Sirius is at <http://www.skyreport.com/dars.htm>
- *CFRX Toronto back on 6 MHz after an absence
- *RCI resuming weekend news later in month; but integration into a subsidiary of CBC French domestic service continues. Four new thematic programs start this weekend on RCI
- *Q&A with Digital Radio Mondiale in DXLD 1-135
- *A grand old man of SW, Roger Legge, died a sesquiyear ago
- *Hank Bennett, of WPE fame, alive and well
- *Auroral conditions expected Oct 11
- *Propagation outlook from Boulder, issued October 9; flux range 165-270-170
- *From worldofradio.com Glenn Hauser concluding Number 1100 ###

